

Directory: <ftp://ftp.cdc.noaa.gov/Projects/EDDI/>

This directory structure contains data and imagery for the Evaporative Demand Drought Index (EDDI; Hobbins et al. 2016; McEvoy et al. 2016) produced by NOAA-Physical Sciences Division, and based on NOAA-PSD's Gen-0 reference evapotranspiration (ET₀) reanalysis (<ftp://ftp.cdc.noaa.gov/Projects/RefET/>). EDDI data are available over both the continental US (CONUS; /CONUS_archive/) and the globe (/global_archive/), at a variety of timescales from January 1, 1980 to the near-present.

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